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Dr. Eleanor S. Metcalf  
The American Association of Immunologists  
9650 Rockville Pike  
Bethesda, MD 20814-3994

**Subject: Modern Women, Modern Plagues. Looking toward the 21st Century**

Dear Dr. Metcalf:

The Scientific Director and CTR's staff have discussed your request for partial support of the conference named above. Although our financial support is restricted to basic biomedical research, the program which you enclosed for our attention contains topics of interest to The Council, and the list of speakers ensures the high caliber of the meeting. Unfortunately, severe competition for our limited funds does not permit expansion of our support into new and important areas such as the one you have described.

Sincerely,

  
George A. Hashim

cc: Dr. Harmon McAllister  
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